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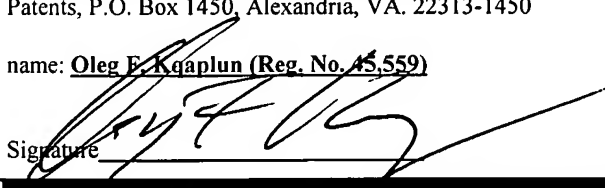
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1. This is a first submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
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1. 20 sheets of Specification, 3 sheet of Claims and 1 sheet of Abstract.
2. 5 sheets of Drawings.
3. 29 sheets of PCT Published Application No. WO 2004/050409.
4. 1 sheet of Verification of English Translation of PCT Published Application.
5. 6 sheets of PCT Request.
6. 4 sheets of PCT Search Report performed by EPO.
7. 3 sheets of PCT amended claims.
7. 2 sheets of English translation of PCT amended claims.
8. 1 sheet of PTO-Form 2038.
10. 8 sheets of Preliminary Amendment.
11. 2 sheets of Information Disclosure Statement and 1 sheet of PTO-Form 1449 along with three (3) references.
12. 1 sheet of PCT Notification of Recordal of Change of Name.
13. 4 sheets of PCT Chapter 2 Request.
14. 4 sheets of PCT Examination Report.

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